

## ROUTING AND RECORD SHEET

SUBJECT: (Optional) Zero-Base Review of Industrial Clearance Status Report <span style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 0 20px;"> </span>				25X1
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TO: (Officer designation, room number, and building)	DATE		OFFICER'S INITIALS	COMMENTS (Number each comment to show from whom to whom. Draw a line across column after each comment.)
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1. DD/P&M	8 AUG 1980	↓		<p>To 5. Attached is your requested report to DCI on status of the ZB review of industrial clearances. I'm informing Eisenbeis to encourage him to press the APEX people to do the same.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">R. V.</p> <p>5. For signature</p>
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20 AUG 1980

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Central Intelligence

VIA: Deputy Director of Central Intelligence  
 Special Assistant to the DCI  
 for Compartmentation  
 Deputy Director for Administration

FROM: [REDACTED]  
 Director of Security

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SUBJECT: Zero-Base Review of Industrial Clearance  
 Status Report [REDACTED]

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REFERENCE: Memorandum for the DDA from the DCI, dated  
 20 April 1978, subject: Zero-Base Review  
 of Clearances (ER 78-1220)

1. Action Requested: None; for your information [REDACTED]

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2. Background: As requested in Reference, the Office  
 of Security has been conducting zero-base reviews of Sensitive  
 Compartmented Information (SCI) accesses held by employees  
 of industrial contractors having contractual relationships  
 with CIA. The Agency has [REDACTED] contractors working on one or  
 more compartmented programs, and we previously reported that  
 [REDACTED] of these contractors were reviewed during FY 1979. [REDACTED]

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3. Current Status: We entered FY 1980 with a goal  
 of completing the review at [REDACTED] facilities. By 30 June  
 1980, [REDACTED] contractors had, in fact, been reviewed. They are  
 listed on the attached sheet. These reviews reveal a con-  
 sistent pattern in reduction totals in comparison with FY 1979.  
 The results of these [REDACTED] reviews are as follows:

<u>Category</u>	<u>Totals Before Review</u>	<u>Totals After Review</u>	<u>Numerical Change</u>	<u>Percentage Reduction</u>
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4. Discussion: Work is in progress on the [ ] remaining companies, and we anticipate completion by the end of this fiscal year. Cooperation by industry to these reviews has been outstanding. The exercise has provided added benefits. We are updating the central record listings of Agency contractors on SPECLE. We have gained a measure of confidence in the expectation of an accurate and smooth transition to the APEX System and its 4C recordkeeping program. It should be noted that while you approved the Community request to postpone their zero-base review of product access approvals pending implementation of APEX, our review of contractor holdings is a total re-examination of justification for all product as well as all operational access approvals. [ ]

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